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WOMEN'S PROGRAMS AT DENISON  
Spring Semester, 1990

Thursday, February 8  
8:00 p.m. Swasey Chapel  
POETRY READING

Friday, February 9  
3:30 p.m. Slayter Auditorium  
PUBLIC LECTURE  
RITA DOVE

Rita Dove is a Pulitzer-Prize winning poet and author. Her books of poetry include Thomas and Beulah and Grace Notes. (English Department Beck Fund)

Wednesday, February 21  
8:00 p.m. Doane Dance Center  
LECTURE/PERFORMANCE  
BEBE MILLER

Miller is an acclaimed dancer and choreographer and the recipient of a 1986 "Bessie" dance and performance award. (Dance Department, Minority Studies/Women's Studies 10th Anniversary Event)

Thursday, February 22  
8:00 p.m. Swasey Chapel  
ALL-COLLEGE CONVOCATION  
JOHNNETTA COLE: Keynote Speech for the 10th Anniversary Celebration of the Minority Studies/Women's Studies Requirement

Johnetta Cole was chosen in 1986 as the first black woman president of Spelman College, a historically black women's institution. Cole, known affectionately as the "Sister President," is an anthropologist specializing in West African and Caribbean cultures. Her scholarship and observations about the intersection of sex, class and race themes are both provocative and insightful, as in her speech "Weaving Women's Colors," which deeply moved attendees at the 1987 National Women's Studies Conference in Atlanta. Last spring Dr. Cole accepted an honorary degree from Denison.

Tuesday, March 6  
8:00 p.m. Swasey Chapel  
VIOLIN CONCERT: NADJA SALERNO-SONNENBERG

Salerno-Sonnenberg (who prefers to be known as "Flash") is widely recognized as one of the most exciting and distinctive concert artists to have emerged in years. She is known as much for her passionate and emotional playing style as she is for her exquisite artistry. Not yet 30 years of age, Salerno-Sonnenberg is recognized by feminists for her distinctiveness as a female musician (in October of 1987 her photo graced the cover of Ms. Magazine), and by critics, who refer to her performances as "breathtaking." (The Vail Series, Minority Studies/Women's Studies 10th Anniversary Event)

Thursday, March 8  
FOUNDER'S DAY CELEBRATION OF THE MINORITY  
STUDIES/WOMEN'S STUDIES REQUIREMENT

11:30 a.m. Slayter Auditorium  
A COMMON HOUR: featuring Denison alumni who were involved in the early years of the Black Studies and Women's Studies Programs.

8:00 p.m. Slayter Auditorium  
CONVOCATION: featuring former Denison faculty who were instrumental in passage of the requirement. Speakers will include Lou Brakeman, Ann Fitzgerald, Charles Henry, and Joan Straumanis.

Friday, March 30  
8:00 p.m. Swasey Chapel  
CONCERT: SWEET HONEY IN THE ROCK

A Sweet Honey concert is a rare experience of the power and joy accompanying a cappella, multi-harmony vocalizing with roots in African culture. The group, comprised of six female singers and one sign language interpreter, has a broad repertoire, ranging from West African tribal melodies to songs about Apartheid, female civil rights leaders, and the exploitation of workers in multi-national corporations. A recent review in Billboard Magazine said it best: "This is music with meat on its bones; in a world of ear candy, Sweet Honey in the Rock offers soul food." (Minority Studies/Women's Studies 10th Anniversary Event, Women's Programs, Student Activities Committee, Denison 9to5)

Tuesday, April 3

8:00 p.m. Slayter Auditorium

PUBLIC LECTURE

HEIDI HARTMANN: "Doing Feminist Policy Research"

Hartmann is the director of the Institute For Women's Policy Research in Washington. D.C. She is the author of numerous articles and books on occupational sex segregation and comparable worth, and is widely regarded as the pre-eminent feminist economist in the U.S. (Economics Department Taylor Lecture)

Wednesday, April 4

8:30 p.m. Slayter Auditorium

PUBLIC LECTURE

MICHAEL KAUFFMAN: "WHAT MEN WILL GAIN FROM WOMEN'S LIBERATION"

Kauffman is a professor of political science at York University. He is a leading member of the National Organization of Changing Men and the author of Beyond Patriarchy: Essays by Men on Pleasure, Power and Change. (Office of Religious Life, Women's Programs, the Counseling Center)

Thursday, April 12

8:00 p.m. Slayter Auditorium

PUBLIC LECTURE

ELLEN BRAVO: "WHAT'S IN STORE FOR WORKING WOMEN IN THE 1990'S"

Bravo is the Associate Director of National 9to5 and the Executive Director of the Milwaukee chapter of the organization. A former instructor of Women's Studies at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee and San Diego State University, Bravo is involved in a range of issues of concern to clerical workers. (Minority Studies/Women's Studies 10th Anniversary Event, Denison 9to5, Women's Programs)

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To: Women's Studies Mailing List Recipients and selected others

From: Lisa Ransdell, Women's Coordinator

I want to remind you of a special event sponsored by Women's Programs and the Wellness Committee that is happening Tuesday evening. A Lecture/Discussion on the topic of "Women And AIDS" is to be presented by Dr. Chris Smithies of the University of Cincinnati Department of Psychiatry, and two members of WomanCare, a group for HIV-positive women in the Cincinnati area. The program will include a factual overview of the special situation of heterosexual women with AIDS, a fast growing but little known risk group, and the personal accounts of two members of the therapy group.

Please announce this program in appropriate classes and consider attending yourself in order to learn more about this overlooked dimension of the AIDS problem.

WOMEN AND AIDS

Tuesday, February 20

8:00 p.m. Slayter Auditorium



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# **WOMEN'S STUDIES COLLOQUIUM**

**JULIA T. WOOD**

Associate Professor of Speech Communication  
University of North Carolina

WILL PRESENT

**"A FEMINIST CRITIQUE OF  
RESEARCH IN INTERPERSONAL  
INTERACTION"**

**MONDAY, MARCH 26, 1990  
8:00 P.M.  
FACULTY LOUNGE**

*SPONSORED BY WOMEN'S STUDIES AND THE DEPARTMENT OF  
SPEECH COMMUNICATIONS.*



WOMEN STUDIES COLLOQUIUM

JULIA T. WOOD

"A Feminist Critique of Research  
in Interpersonal Interaction"

Monday, March 26, 1990

8:00 p.m.

Faculty Lounge

On Monday, March 26, the Speech Communication Department is hosting Julia T. Wood's visit to campus. Dr. Wood, Associate Professor of Speech Communication at the University of North Carolina, will present a departmental seminar and Women Studies Colloquium. She has served as co-founder of the National Annual Conference on Gender and Communication Research, Associate Editor for Women Studies and Communication Symbolic Interaction, and Communication Monographs. She has published extensively in the area of interpersonal communication, small group communication, and gender and communication. Among the works she has authored are Small Group Problem-Solving Discussions and Communication and Human Relationships: The Study of Interpersonal Communication. Dr. Wood's reputation as a feminist scholar in communication is nationally and internationally recognized. Her colloquium, "A Feminist Critique of Research in Interpersonal Interaction," promises to enlighten us of the interdisciplinary nature of human communication. I strongly urge you to announce this presentation to your classes.

I hope to see you on the 26th.

Suzanne Condray



# HEIDI HARTMAN



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WILL PRESENT A  
WOMEN'S STUDIES COLLOQUIUM  
AND LUNCH

## "WOMEN'S ECONOMIC AUTONOMY"

APRIL 3, 1990  
UNIVERSITY ROOM  
12:20P.M. TO 2:00 P.M.

### ATTENTION:

Please announce in your Women's Studies' class. Heidi Hartman will speak during lunch and everyone is welcome to bring their own lunch or call **Judy Thompson (6245)** to reserve a boxed lunch. Heidi knows 9to5'ers and Women's Studies people will be attending, and will gear her talk towards this audience.



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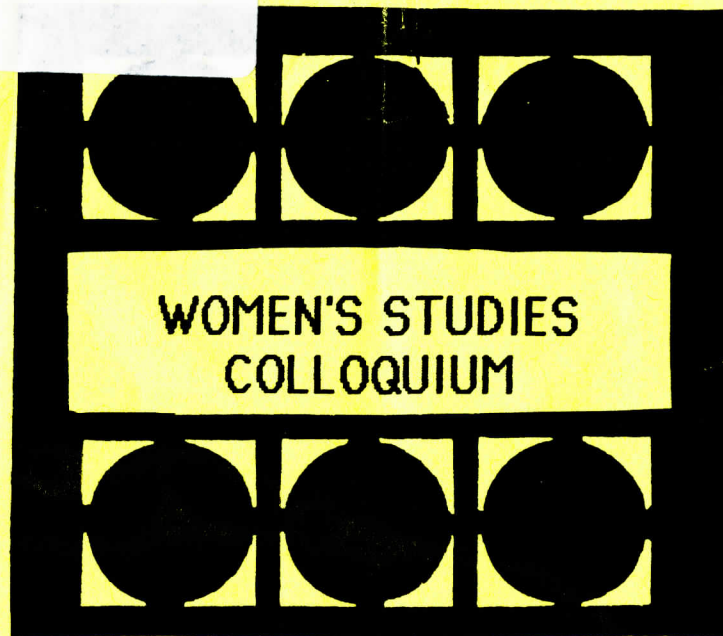
HEIDI I. HARTMANN

### ADDENDA

Heidi I. Hartmann is currently director of the Washington-based Institute for Women's Policy Research, a think tank on policy issues of importance to women. In the Spring of 1988, she was director of the women's studies program and professor of Sociology at Rutgers University. During 1986-87 she held an American Statistical Association fellowship at the Census Bureau where she conducted research on women's poverty. For 8 years previously she was a staff member of the National Research Council/National Academy of Sciences where she contributed to many reports on women's employment issues, including the 1981 report on pay equity, Women, Work, and Wages: Equal Pay for Jobs of Equal Value. She also lectures and writes on the economics of gender relations. She has a B.A. from Swarthmore College and M.Ph. and Ph.D. degrees from Yale University, all in economics.

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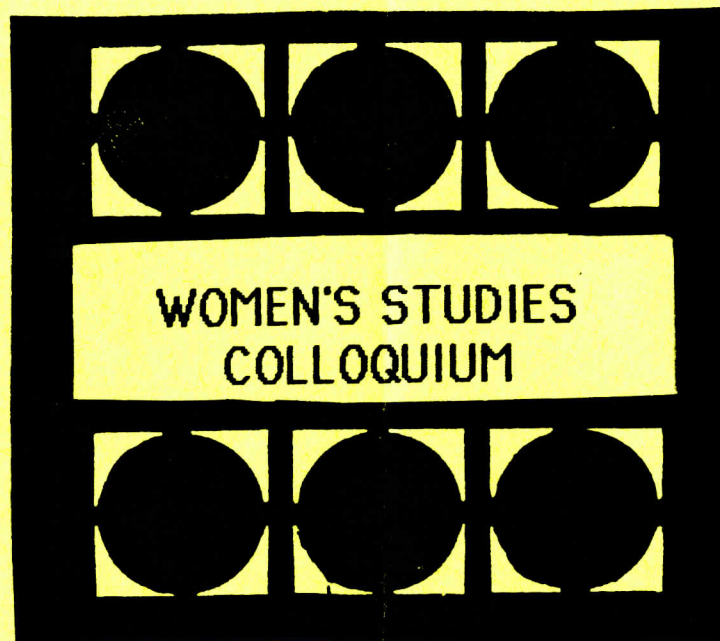
will present

"GENDER AND THE BODY IMAGE"

**TUESDAY**  
**APRIL 17, 1990**

**8:00 P.M.**  
**FACULTY LOUNGE**





**SABRA WEBBER**

Associate Professor of Comparative Studies  
and Acting Director of  
The Center For Comparative Studies in the  
Humanities

THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

will present

**"WOMEN IN MIDDLE EASTERN FOLK  
NARRATIVE"**

**THURSDAY  
APRIL 26, 1990  
7:30 P.M.  
FACULTY LOUNGE**



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YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED  
TO ATTEND  
THE

# WOMEN'S STUDIES ANNUAL PICNIC

**WEDNESDAY  
APRIL 25, 1990**

**4:30 P.M. - 6:30 P.M.  
LAMSON LODGE**

**WINNERS OF THE NAN NOWIK MEMORIAL AWARDS  
WILL BE ANNOUNCED AT THIS TIME.**



October 5, 1990

To: Women's Studies Committee Members

From: Betty M. Lovelace

**DR. FRANK HALE**

Executive Assistant to the President at Kenyon College

will address the topic:

**BARRIERS TO COMMUNICATION**

Wednesday, October 10, 1990

4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Slayter Auditorium

Dr. Hale's discussion will include the impact of institutional symbols on the ethnically/culturally different; "world views" as an impediment to a working relationship with the ethnically/culturally different; and multi-culturalism as a concept.

**PLEASE PLAN TO ATTEND!**

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